## CLAIMS

A method for providing a file comprising the
$\emptyset$ / following steps:
/ receiving a\request for said file,
identifying said file as being stored in a
distant server,
requesting said distant server to send said
file,
identifying said file as being used, and
forwarding said file.
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2. A method for providing a file comprising the following steps:

receiving a request for said file, said request comprising a home server identification,

checking that said file is not locally stored, requesting said file to said home server, identifying said file as being locally used,

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forwarding sald file.

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3. A method for providing a file, wherein is stored information according to which said file is locally stored when said file is received from a remote server, said method comprising the following steps:

receiving a request for said file, said request comprising said remote server identification,

checking that said file is locally stored, forwarding said file to said remote server when said file has been locally modified, and deleting the information according to which said file is locally stored.

- 4. The method according to claim 3 further comprising a step for sending said information to said remote server when said file has not been locally modified.
- 5. A server comprising means for carrying out the steps of the method according to claim 1.
- 6. The server according to claim 5 comprising a remotely logged client table for identifying where said file has been forwarded.
- 7. A server comprising means for carrying out the steps of the method according to claim 2.
- 8. The server according to claim 7 comprising a guest client table for identifying to whom said file has been forwarded.